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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1 to 16 remain standing in this application.

This Amendment is being filed in association with a Request for Continued

Examination, the details of which are set forth in accompanying form SB/30.

This Amendment is accompanied by an Information Disclosure Statement, with

the cited references being set out on form SB/08A.

The Examiner is thanked for his very careful review of the application, noting

several duplicate uses of reference numerals. The Examiner is particularly

thanked for suggesting a new title for the present application, which has been

adopted, and for proposing a revision to Claim 1, which has also been adopted.

It is noted that a typographical error apparently occurred in the proposals made

by the Examiner and the word "been" has been corrected to read "being".

The remaining Claims are unamended.

Concerning the drawings, Applicant has the following comments in direct

response to the comments made in the Official Action being responded to:

First, as to use of the reference numeral "46", Applicant suggests that the context

is guite clear. Page 10, lines 1 and 2, teach that vent openings 44 and 46 are

provided in "each of the bottom and top surfaces 48 and 50, respectively."

[emphasis added]. Thus, it is quite clear that vent opening 44 is the bottom vent

opening, and vent opening 46 is the top vent opening. No amendment is

required at line 9.

Likewise, the text of the application at page 10, line 29, refers to the fact that

there is at least one LED lamp 92 that is shown. The text refers in lines 30 and

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31 that typically, three such LED lamps 92 are employed. Accordingly, the next line at page 11 line 1 refers to the source of illumination 92, which can be an LED lamp or lamps. It is not believed that the use of the reference character "92" is misleading or incorrect in any way, and no amendment is required.

As to use of the reference character "28", once again Applicant suggests that lines 11 and 12 of page 8, clearly teach that the adjustment actuator 28 is typically an adjustment wheel. Therefore, further use of the reference numeral 28 in referring to an adjustment wheel is believed to be quite correct.

To make the paragraph which bridges pages 11 and 12 more clear, as it is explained in the following paragraph at lines 2 to 7 of page 12, that latter paragraph has been amended.

Likewise, amendments have been made at pages 9 and 12, and in Figures 2, 18, and 19, to correct an inadvertent duplication of use of the reference numerals 42 and 122. Those reference numerals have been corrected by amendments to the Figures, and to the disclosure, to substitute reference numerals 43 and 123, respectively.

As to the alleged double use of the reference numeral 26, Figure 3 has been amended so as to ensure that the lead line associated with reference numeral 26 stops at the rear face. Use of that reference numeral is consistent throughout the Figures, as seen, for example, in Figures 4, 5, 7, 8, 9 to 12, and 15 to 17.

Applicant inadvertently used reference numeral 42 twice, and its incorrect use in Figure 2 has been corrected. Numerals 40 and 42 clearly indicate the limits of the beam, as clearly described, for example, in the first paragraph of page 9.

Applicant has reviewed the disclosure and believes that the Examiner's review has been so complete that no other issues arise.

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Finally, Applicant once again thanks the Examiner for proposing a new Claim 1 which is indicated allowable. Therefore, issuance of a Notice of Allowance at the earliest opportunity in this application is now respectfully solicited.

Applicant believes that, through this Response, all attempts have been made in good faith to address all outstanding issues. Thus, entry of this Response into the file, and allowance of this application, are earnestly solicited.

## **Conclusions**

Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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**Attachments** 

## **Amendments to the Drawings:**

The attached sheets of drawings include amendments to Fig. 2, 3, 18, and 19. The replacement sheets, include Figures 1-2, Figures 3-5, and Figures 18 and 19, respectively.

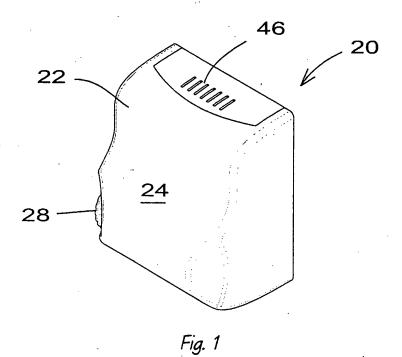
In Figure 2 the reference numeral "42" has been changed to --43--.

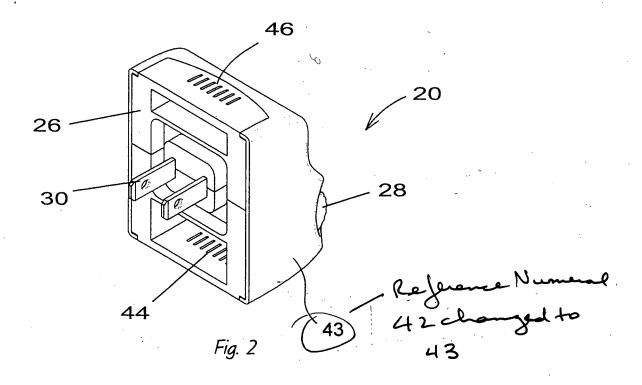
In Figure 3, the lead line associated with reference numeral "26" has been shortened so as to end at the rear face of the night light shown in that figure.

In Figures 18 and 19, the reference numeral "122" has been changed to --123--.

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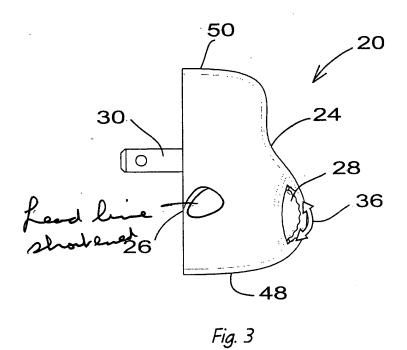


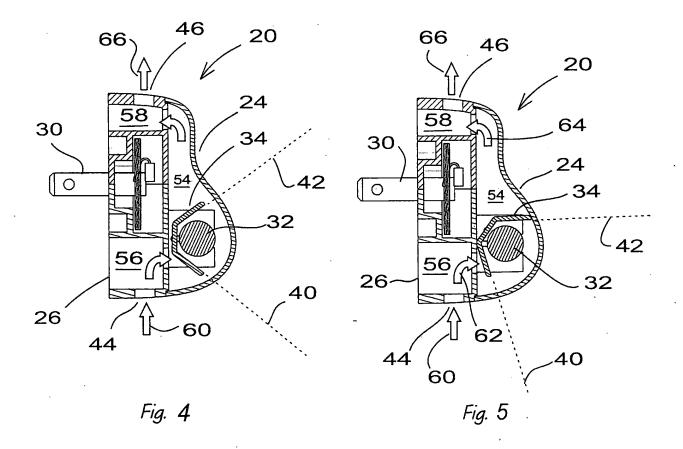




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